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Haruyasu UEDA

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed October 20, 2003 finally rejecting claims 1-3, 9-11 and 17.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. EXTENSION OF TIME PETITION AND FEE

X Attached is a petition for a 3-month extension of  
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